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Early Fall Shipments Have Arrived

And our display of New Fall De signs consists of

Cameo and Gold Jewelry, Watch Bracelets, China, Cut Glass, Silverware

To those considering a wedding, birthday or engagement gift, an inspection of these lines will prove profitable.

D. R. Dekle, Jeweler

Superintendent's Corner

There seems to be a general misunderstanding as to how to get the new books as adopted by the state for the next five years for the public schools that are not under a special system such as Statesboro and other large towns. All rural schools are required by the state laws to get a new set of books for the next five years. This is not a requirement made of you by your teachers or by the county board. You can exchange the books that you have which have been used heretofore for new books. You will get about half price for your old books in exchange for new ones. You can exchange a second reader for a third reader, etc. Of course, your old books must be in fair shape. The book dealer cannot afford to take a book that has been ruined. You will not have to exchange all your old books as several are retained. Your teacher will furnish you with the names of the books you will have to obtain, and just as early as possible let every pupil get supplied.

Hard times do not seem to have any effect on the Bradwell school,

as they have opened with an enrollment of more than sixty pupils. This school is being taught this term by Misses Mikell and Deunmark, two of Bulloch's best teachers. The people of Bradwell community are manifesting a great interest in their school, and each year they maintain a successful one.

The Pretoria school has opened for the fall term. Miss Polly Wood is retained as the principal and Miss Myrtle Anderson as assistant. The attendance so far is fair. The outlook is promising. These two teachers make a success wherever they are employed.

Miss Rummie Williams, teacher of the Bragg school, is preparing to have gardening in connection with her regular school work this term. She states that steps are being taken to have a school yard prepared. Miss Williams succeeded in getting her school house ceiling and painting during the past term. By the close of this term this school will rank among the best in this county. Miss Williams is a live wire in the school work.

Mr. J. J. Zetterower, Jr., is making a record for the Hodges school, near Dover. Here, we have not been able to maintain an average hardly. Already Mr. Zetterower has succeeded in enrolling 32 pupils, and if there are any more in that community he will have them. Mr. Zetterower would make an ideal missionary. Those people realize that they have a good thing and they are going to take advantage of the opportunity.

I have to tell the board about the clean and orderly kept school rooms and yards. Of course, I would hate to mention that your school was not well kept. Too, the board inquires as to what kind of order you have. Do not fail to have a well arranged program of your daily work posted so that I and others may see when I or they call on a visit. This is important and is required by the state law.

Tax Collector's Third and Last Round.
Monday, Nov. 23.—Clito, 730 to 8 a. m.; 48th G. M. district, 830 to 9; Brooklet, 930 to 10; Stillson, 1 to 2 p. m.; Ivanhoe, 230 to 3; P. H. Lanier's, 4 to 4:30; J. D. McElreath's at night.
Tuesday 24.—14th G. M. district, 730 to 8; 110 G. M. district, 830 to 9; 147th G. M. district, 930 to 10; 110 G. M. district, 1030 to 11; 110 G. M. district, 1130 to 12; 110 G. M. district, 1230 to 1; 110 G. M. district, 1330 to 2; 110 G. M. district, 1430 to 3; 110 G. M. district, 1530 to 4; 110 G. M. district, 1630 to 5; 110 G. M. district, 1730 to 6; 110 G. M. district, 1830 to 7; 110 G. M. district, 1930 to 8; 110 G. M. district, 2030 to 9; 110 G. M. district, 2130 to 10; 110 G. M. district, 2230 to 11; 110 G. M. district, 2330 to 12; 110 G. M. district, 2430 to 1; 110 G. M. district, 2530 to 2; 110 G. M. district, 2630 to 3; 110 G. M. district, 2730 to 4; 110 G. M. district, 2830 to 5; 110 G. M. district, 2930 to 6; 110 G. M. district, 3030 to 7; 110 G. M. district, 3130 to 8; 110 G. M. district, 3230 to 9; 110 G. M. district, 3330 to 10; 110 G. M. district, 3430 to 11; 110 G. M. district, 3530 to 12; 110 G. M. district, 3630 to 1; 110 G. M. district, 3730 to 2; 110 G. 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FALL DISPLAYS

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To those considering a wedding, birthday or engagement gift, an inspection of these lines will prove profitable.

D. R. Dekle, Jeweler

"Turkey to be Beaten."

While the European nations are tearing at each other's throats and the Turkish empire is fighting for dear life, it looks in this country like turkey is to meet defeat of another kind. The TIMES mentioned a few weeks ago the slaying of an ordinary rooster by Mr. Solie Olliff which weighed 7½ pounds, which was considered to be pushing the turkey tribe some for supremacy, but now comes another which goes a pound further in pursuit. Miss Mabel DeLoach, at Portia, killed one last week from the yard weighing 8½ pounds, which gives rise to the question, how long can the turkey hope to remain in the lead for size?

Waters-Foy

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Waters, of Brooklet, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bessie Maude, to Mr. Harry A. Foy, of Oliver, the wedding to take place at high noon, December 23rd, at their home at Brooklet.

Notice.

If you wish to secure a loan on your farm, make your application in time. We are in a position to negotiate loans at present and invite applicants with good security. MOORE & HERRINGTON.

What I Remember About Sherman's Raid Through Bulloch County

(BY W. H. CONE.)

I do not feel very old, but I have one characteristic of old age—I easily grow reminiscent; and I am reminded by some of the things that are happening in these latter days which call to mind very vividly the circumstances and scenes of fifty years ago, when we heard what all Europe is now hearing, when we felt what all our neighbors over there are now experiencing, when we saw, as they see now, the ruin and devastation that follows in the wake of contending armies, especially an army which is bent on leaving behind it the ruins of a conquered people.

I noticed on an old record book of the ordinary's office this quaint old minute, dated Statesboro, Ga., Monday, December 5th, 1864:

"This being the day set apart by law for holding the court of Ordinary; but the Yankees were here and have burned the court house and there will be no court held today."

(Signed) DAVID BRASLEY, Ordinary.

This minute was evidently penned at a safe distance from Statesboro, and gives not only a good and sufficient reason why there should be no court business transacted on that day, but also a very vivid picture of Statesboro without a single house in it, as it looked after the Yankees left. Peace to the ashes of old Uncle David Brasley, and of honor to a faithful public servant who was responsible for preserving all our public records at a time like this.

As to the pathway of the Yankee army through this county, the left wing passed down on the west side of the Ogeechee river, the main line taking the river road all the way down, known then as the Middleburg road. All the artillery and the main wagon trains went down this road. There was also quite a train of wagons with

squads of troops which reached out as far as the Moore road above Statesboro and from thence down by Brannen's mill and down on the east side of Black creek. This made the territory covered by the army a strip of some ten miles clear through the county with Statesboro on the extreme western limit. We have no record of any damage being done anywhere south or west of Statesboro or west of upper fork of Black creek. A very small squad went out as far as the John Olliff place, opposite Statesboro, and also lower down another small squad went as far as Upper Black creek church. However, there was little damage done by these raids as they seemed to be in great fear of meeting a similar squad of Wheeler's men.

In all this ten mile strip of territory there was not a house which was not sacked and robbed of everything that was movable, whether it could be used or not. And there seemed to have been, and really was, more damage done away from the main line of travel than on the principal roads, because the soldiers were under the eyes of the officers. The small and the great hosts of camp followers who followed the army went in for all they could get and carry off, and seemed bent on destroying what they could not carry with them. While there were no houses burned, they destroyed all the fencing and palings, so that when they left, the houses stood out in the bare yards and fields. This was the picture of desolation that met our eyes when the Yankees had passed.

Now, as to the actual experience of the horrors of a hostile army passing through: The war news in 1864 resembled very much the war news now in one thing at least—it was very uncertain and very unreliable. For weeks we had been hearing about the advance of Sherman and his army, but no one here knew that there was no line of Confederates between us and them, and that this was the only route that the Yankees could come un-

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old men would come out from under some cover where they had hidden during the fusillade. This condition of things went on continuously for two whole days, as long as there was anything left in sight to find. The dwelling houses of most of the people on the main line were respected, but off of the line and away from the command of the officers they sacked the homes, took everything out of them, and didn't care how badly they treated the inmates. Most of the men we saw in these side houses were foreigners—they had lately come from the various nations that are now fighting—you could hardly understand what they were saying. These were the kind of men that overcame the South.

Again I am reminded that we are paying pensions to what are left of these men even at this late day (about one-third of it coming from the South). Does not this sound exactly like what the Germans are doing over in Europe—demanding indemnity from the conquered? For these reasons I am an unreconstructed Rebel, and I don't vote for any man for the United States congress who votes for perpetuating this war indemnity on the South.

I see the newspapers quote very frequently Gen. Sherman's definition of what is war. This little experience will give you the part that Gen. Sherman played in making that definition; and yet it was a great deal worse over in Blount county, where he made two trips covering the same territory, and it was a great deal worse in South Carolina, where he applied his torch in order to punish the people for what they contended and believed were their rights.

Now, you ask the question, "How did the people live after this experience?" And I am again reminded by the great cry of hard times that I hear now. Well, in the first place we don't know how little we can live on until we have tried. There was a great crop raised in 1864. It was one of the most fruitful years in my memory (even the swamps were full of most useful food), and even the Yankee army could not eat it up and carry it off in two days. There was some corn left scattered about on the ground

and in the swamps; there were some potato patches which were not dug and some of our people were not done grinding cane—cane being our principal money crop. We occasionally found a barrel of syrup hidden where the Yankees could not find it. By putting all the odds and ends together, we pulled through the winter of '64-5, and there was another reason why we pulled through—and again I am reminded—there was a most splendid spirit of helpfulness and neighborliness exhibited by our folks, you have ever read about this side of apocalyptic times. The fellow who had corn divided with the neighbor who had none; the fellow who had an undug potato patch invited his neighbors to come over with their hoes and help them dig, and the barrel of syrup that was turned over by the Yankees and left, was divided, and so there was enough to go around and keep the wolf from the door.

I remember the Christmas dinner of 1864. The chief dishes were a great potato pone and a sweetened corn cake. It was great. There was not a biscuit in our home for about four months, until we got to trading with the Yankees in Savannah about March, 1865.

This closes a chapter in the history of Bulloch county worth remembering, and a chapter in the individual life we can't forget.

Edmund Burnsed Dead

Edmund Burnsed, of the Briar-patch district, died suddenly at his home Tuesday evening of heart disease. The burial was at Black Creek church yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Burnsed will be remembered in connection with the killing of Davis, near Ivanhoe, a year or more ago. He was acquitted of the charge. His son, who was with him, was convicted and appealed, his case now being in the courts.

Foley Cathartic Tablets

Are wholesome, thoroughly cleansing, and have a stimulating effect on the stomach, liver and bowels. Regulate you with no griping and no unpleasant after effects. Most people find they give immense relief and comfort. Antacid. Bulloch Drug Company.

The most sensational bargain event ever presented to the buying public of Bulloch County, and a sale that will set the whole County into a buying fever heat. **COME!**

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Business Suspended

UNTIL 9 A. M.
THURSDAY, DEC. 3, 1914

By order of the **CALLAHAN SALE CO. OF ATLANTA, GA.,** who are under bond to turn this stock into cash.
STOCK MUST BE CLOSED OUT IN 15 DAYS
Grand Closing out Sale, with full determination and final positive instructions to sell, and sell quick regardless of cost, loss or value in order to close out the entire stock.

15 Days Only! SALE 15 Days Only!
Opens Thursday, Dec. 3rd, 9 a. m.

This Gigantic Closing Out involves the entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Furnishings, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Shoes, etc., in one grand sale, and a sale of such magnitude that when we swing the doors back opening morning at 9 a. m. it will be a sight long to be remembered, and the greatest, grandest, broadest, biggest and most legitimate **CLOSING OUT SALE** ever held in this territory.
The sales manager warns you. Come prepared to buy as never before.

THIS SALE IS FOR CASH ONLY. PLEASE DO NOT ASK FOR CREDIT!

THE PLAN IS THIS:
FREE! \$200 With every dollar purchased we will give a cash certificate and a number of gifts will be displayed in the show window with a large ticket, EACH one of them marked FREE, and also bearing a number, and when you find the number corresponding with the number YOU HOLD, YOU will receive that article FREE. It may be a Ladies' Dress or ten yards of Dry Goods, Men's Pants, Hat, Gloves, or one of a thousand articles of value in the store.
A certain number of FREE gifts will be put on each day covering a certain percentage of the sales the day previous; so if you don't find a corresponding free number one day, you may the next, and it may be that a coupon given out the first day may not have its corresponding number OUT until the last day of the sale, **SO DON'T THROW YOUR COUPONS AWAY.**
We are giving this \$200 direct to the trade rather than spend it advertising. We will appreciate your patronage, and want you to have **CALLAHAN SALE CO.**

<p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$15.00 Suits for..... \$ 8.98</p> <p>Men's \$20.00 Suits for..... 11.95</p> <p>Men's \$25.00 Suits for..... 14.95</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$10.00 Overcoats for..... \$ 4.95</p> <p>Men's \$15.00 Overcoats for..... 8.95</p> <p>Men's \$20.00 Overcoats for..... 11.95</p> <p>Men's \$25.00 Overcoats for..... 14.95</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Boys' \$7.00 Suits for..... \$ 3.95</p> <p>\$8.00 to \$10.00 Boys' Suits, very latest style for..... 5.95</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's Happ Bros. union made Overalls for..... 85c</p> <p>YOUR CHOICE OF</p> <p>One big lot of Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Hats for..... \$ 1.29</p> <p>Men's (Mammoth Brand) work shirts for..... 39c</p>	<p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Stetson Hats for..... \$ 2.89</p> <p>\$3.00 Stetson make Hats for..... 2.29</p> <p>YOUR CHOICE OF</p> <p>One big lot of Men's work Pants for..... 89c</p> <p>ONE BIG LOT OF</p> <p>Men's Corduroy and Doeskin Pants, regular \$2.75 and \$3.00 values for..... \$ 1.98</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$1.25 dress shirts for..... 79c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's 75c dress shirts for..... 39c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Edwin Clapp Shoes for..... \$ 4.98</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Ladies' \$1.00 Kabo Corsets for..... 79c</p> <p>\$1.50 Kabo Corsets for..... 1.19</p> <p>\$2.00 Kabo Corsets for..... 1.39</p>	<p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$3.75 Packard brand Shoes for..... \$ 2.89</p> <p>Men's \$4.50 Packard brand Shoes for..... 3.29</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Ladies' 25c Underwear for..... 19c</p> <p>Ladies' 50c Underwear for..... 39c</p> <p>Ladies' \$1.00 Underwear for..... 79c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's regular 50c fleeced lined Underwear for..... 39c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>\$1.00 Wright's Health fleeced lined Underwear for..... 79c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>\$1.00 Wright's Health Spring Needle Underwear for..... 79c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Men's \$1.25 set snug Union Suits for..... 89c</p>	<p>YOU CAN BUY MEN'S</p> <p>10c Hose for..... 7c</p> <p>20c Hose for..... 13c</p> <p>25c Hose for..... 19c</p> <p>50c Hose for..... 39c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Ladies' regular \$10.00 Coats and Dresses for..... \$ 5.45</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Regular \$15.00 Coats and Dresses for..... \$ 7.95</p> <p>LADIES, YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Simpson's and American Prints or Calicos for, per yard..... 6c</p> <p>10c Percales for per yard..... 7½c</p> <p>12½c Percales for, per yard..... 9½c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>10c Outings for, per yard..... 8c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>10c Sea Island for, per yard..... 7½c</p>	<p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>10c Gingham for, per yard..... 7½c</p> <p>12½c Gingham for, per yard..... 9½c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>10c 36-in. Bleaching for, yard..... 7½c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Any \$1.25 Silk Dress Goods for, per yard..... 79c</p> <p>YOU CAN BUY</p> <p>Ladies' \$3.50 Kuppendorf brand Shoes for..... \$ 2.39</p> <p>\$4.00 Kuppendorf Shoes for..... 2.88</p> <p>\$4.50 and \$5.00 Kuppendorf Shoes for..... 3.19</p> <p>ALL MEN'S, LADIES AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS TO BE CLOSED OUT AT COST.</p> <p>We mention only a few prices, taken at random, in order to convey to you some idea how this stock will be closed out.</p>
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Sale Conducted by
FOR FIFTEEN DAYS ONLY! CALLAHAN SALE CO., Atlanta, Ga. ENTIRE STOCK ON SALE!
E. O. WEIMER, in Charge

FREE \$50 RANGE

TO BE GIVEN AWAY AT 3 P. M.
Thursday, December 24th, 1914

Beginning Saturday, November 28th, we will give with each Dollar cash purchase or paid on account a ticket entitling you to one chance on the Range to be given away Christmas Eve.

During this time we will offer our Entire Stock of New and Select Merchandise at the lowest possible price FOR CASH!

Special low prices Nov. 28th to Dec. 24th on Furniture, Stoves and Ranges, Buggies and Wagons.

We are overstocked in these departments and it must move at some price. In addition to regular stock of Furniture, we have two new carloads which we are now putting up, and which will be sold at **FACTORY COST plus freight FOR CASH.** We thoroughly appreciate the present depressed conditions due to low priced cotton, and are willing to meet our customers and friends as far as possible in the way of low prices for cash on our goods. We pay over the market price for cotton in trade and give you the benefit of our reduced prices and a chance on the Range.


The \$50 Range will be given away absolutely FREE. You get one chance with each dollar traded with us or paid on account during this time, and your only obligation is to have your ticket here when the Range will be given away.

Remember each coupon must be represented at 3 p. m. Dec. 24th, 1914. If holder of coupon bearing number first drawn is not present, another number will be drawn.

You will save money by looking at our prices before buying; also you might get this beautiful Range.

Statesboro Mercantile Co., STATESBORO, GEORGIA

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STORE

**\$20,000
WORTH OF
HIGH GRADE
MERCHANDISE
DISCOUNTED
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SALE

**5 YARDS
OF CALICO**

**FOR
10c**

12 1/2c dress Gingham
10c best apron Gingham
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Best 10c Sea Island
Homespun
6c Sea Island
10c Bleaching
\$1.00 value 27-lb. D
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SALE! SALE! SALE!

THE ONE GREAT MONEY SAVING
EVENT OF A LIFETIME

THURSDAY

DEC. 3RD, 9:30 A.M.

Marks the Opening of the

Racket Store's

GREAT DISPOSAL

SALE

STORE WILL BE CLOSED WEDNESDAY CUTTING THE PRICE AND ARRANGING THE STOCK

\$20,000 WORTH OF HIGH GRADE MERCHANDISE WITH PRICES AT ROCK BOTTOM NEVER BEFORE In the History of Merchandising in Statesboro has a Sale been inaugurated where words and figures can only give a fair idea of the MARVELOUS VALUES to be had. NEVER BEFORE Has a sale come at a time when the people needed it more than ever. IT IS POSITIVELY A SALE THAT YOU CAN'T IGNORE	\$20,000 WORTH OF GOODS WITH NOTHING HELD IN RESERVE NEVER BEFORE One lot of dress Shirts \$5.50 worth up to \$1.25 79c 300 6in and 7 1/2 dress Shirts 49c 300 men's fleeced Underwear 39c 300 ladies' fleeced Underwear 39c 300 Ladies' Undersweat 19c 100 Stockings and Sox 8c 100 Mens all wool 11c 100 Headlight and Sampson Overalls 89c 100 Boys Pants 98c 100 Hats that must 89c 100 One lot boys Hats 69c 100 68c to 98c to close 49c 100 work Shirts 39c
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The Inter-State Sales Co.

The South's Greatest Bargain Givers

Have been engaged to dispose of the surplus stock of the Racket Store, which has been piling up in the shelves and on the counters ever since the recent business depression commenced, which was brought on by the great European war. They have gone through the stock thoroughly and marked every article with a reckless disregard of former price or value, making this a paradise of incomparable bargains never even dreamed of by the most economical bargain seekers.

SALE LASTS 10 DAYS

5 YARDS OF CALICO FOR 10c	SPECIAL ON THURSDAY MORNING between 9:30 and 10:00 we will sell 5 yards of Calico for 10c. Only 5 yards to a customer.	5 YARDS OF CALICO FOR 10c
9c Riverside and Pee Dee Plaid..... 6c	\$5.48 One lot of dress Shirts worth up to \$1.25 79c	Clean Easy Soap 25c 7 bars for..... 3.48
Good 7 1/2 capron Checks 5 1/2 c 4.98 "	398 6in and 7 1/2 dress Shirts 49c	Only 7 bars to customer..... 2.97
12 1/2 c Hickory Shirting 10c 3.48 "	279 300 men's fleeced Underwear 39c	8 Day Guaranteed Clocks..... 2.19
rodens Gingham..... 8c 2.98 "	448 300 ladies' fleeced Underwear 39c	\$1.98 Clocks..... \$1.39
12 1/2 c dress Gighaus 10c 4.98 "	379 250 Ladies' Undersweat 19c	2.19 \$1.98 Clocks..... \$1.39
10c best apron Ging. 63 1/4 1.68 "	229 100 Stockings and Sox 8c	2.79 25c milk Buckets 13c
Best 10c Sea Island Homespun..... 6 1/4 1.48 "	129 15c " " " " " " 11c	to qt size 1.98
6c Sea Island..... 4 1/4 1.10 "	Mess all wool \$1.19 25c " " " " 39c	One lot plain white Caps, Sauters and Places to match 30c per set..... 1.49
10c Bleaching..... 7 1/2 c \$1.38 Boys Pants 98c	Headlight and Sampson Overalls 89c	Big lot of Enamelware that must be sold same reduction..... 1.10
\$1.00 value 27-in. Dia. per Cloth 85c	One Lot Mens' Hats that must 89c	
Best quality 25c Oil Cloth 16c	79c 80 " " " " " " 79c	
J & P Coats spoon Coat 4c	69c One lot boys Hats 69c	
	49c 68c to 98c to close 49c	
	39c out..... 39c	

A FEW PRICES TO TELL THE TALE

No Goods on Approval.
Your Money Back if You are Not Pleased With Any Purchase you make During The Sale

Highest Market Price Paid in Trade for Chicken and Eggs.

The Racket Store

L. T. DENMARK, Proprietor

INTERSTATE

SALE LASTS 10 DAYS

SALE CO. IN CHARGE

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STATESBORO, GA.

The Low-Price Finger Board POINTS DIRECTLY TO THIS STORE!

Will continue to sacrifice our entire stock
of merchandise at actual cost until our

Annual Stock Taking Time Dec. 24 FOR CASH ONLY!

This will give every family of Bulloch county an opportunity to buy their winter's supplies at actual New York cost. We have moved all our merchandise under one roof from three large warehouses, and we are crowded for space.

Personal to You: It will not pay us to induce you to visit our store by deceptive statements. If we lose your confidence, we are not likely to get your trade. We make no claim to exceptional honesty, but we make good our promises, and we find that it pays.

We don't offer you premiums that are of no good to you to induce you to buy our goods. We believe it is more to your advantage if we pare the price down to the quick, and thus save your pocketbook. The proof that we do this is found in the prices that we quote.

Sea Island Sheetings		Cotton Dress Goods	
Wilton Sea Island 36 inches wide	7 1/2c	Red Seal Dress Gingham, Aurora	
E. X. Fine Sea Island Sheeting to go at	7c	Dress Gingham, Amoskeag	6 1/2c
C. M. Sheeting, 36 inches wide to go at	6 1/2c	Utility Gingham, close out at	
L. L. L. Extra Fine Sea Island, to go at	6c	140 pieces of Parkhill Toile Du Nord Gingham, at cost	8 1/2c
Superior Fine Sea Island, 30 inches wide	5c	Bradford Cambric Percale at cost	7 1/2c
500 yards Taffeta and Messaline Silk, 36 inches wide in all colors to go at	65c	Amoskeag Outing, 27 inches wide dark and light, at	8c
10 dozen Turkish Bath Towels, full size	15c	5000 yards William Simpsons Calicos, cost	5c
3000 yards of 27 inch wide Poplin	18c	2000 yards of Imperial Chambrays	8c
9 dozen Lambskin Ronsard 16 button Glove in white, black and tan and brown	\$1.50	Riverside Check Homespun 27 inches wide	6 1/2c
All short Kid Gloves in ladies black, white and tan	75c		
Ladies Fine Ribbed White Vests to go at	35c		

Every article under this roof at cost except Hardware and Groceries

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STATESBORO, GEORGIA

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A BANK'S RESPONSIBILITIES

This bank is responsible to its depositors for the money they intrust to its care. It is responsible to its stockholders for the safe investment of its resources. It is responsible to the community for a large share off he prosperity it enjoys, and for the wisdom with which its resources are applied worthy business enterprises. It invites the accounts of responsible people, who desire the facilities of a strong, responsible bank.

Sea Island Bank

EVANS POLITICS ARE GROWING IN INTEREST

NEW CANDIDATES CONTINUE TO OFFER FOR COUNTY OFFICES

Evans county politics are daily growing in interest, and the outlook is that things will be boiling by the day of the primary, January 6th. The Times has heretofore mentioned the presence of twenty-five true and tried men on the field of battle. Among the recent entries we observe the name of W. B. DeLoach as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, and J. P. Rushing for tax collector. These are both Bulloch county men in whom our people feel an especial interest.

The corrected list of candidates is as follows:
Ordinary—W. H. Brewton, M. J. Stubbs, D. O. Beasley, Elias Hodges and D. A. Smiley.
Clerk—R. R. Tippins, M. A. Smith, Jr., J. R. Edwards and J. G. Collins.

School superintendent—R. M. Girardeau and N. B. Jarrett.
Sheriff—H. N. Driggers, T. W. Rogers, G. E. DeLoach, J. H. Strickland and A. L. McCorkle.
Tax collector—Daniel Sikes, L. Parker, W. D. Sands, W. E. Todd and J. P. Rushing.

Road commissioners—B. E. Daniel, S. W. Brewton, J. A. Kicklighter, W. B. DeLoach and Eli Mitchell.
Treasurer—J. S. Hagin.
Coroner—Joseph Shuman.

Besides the new candidates for collector and commissioner, just mentioned as being from Bulloch county, it will be seen that there is a good sprinkling of Bulloch county citizens in the old list, including Capt. J. S. Hagin, who seems to have a cinch on the treasurer's race, and Judge A. L. McCorkle, who is a candidate for receiver.

CITY COUNCIL MAKES CHANGES IN FORCE

EVERETT MADE CHIEF; MITCHELL RESTORED TO RANKS

At the meeting of the city council last Tuesday evening, which was the first held since the recent election, the police force was reorganized and some changes were made in the method of work. J. D. Everett was made chief, J. M. Mitchell was restored to the force as a day man, and A. T. Rahn was re-employed as night man. The salary of the chief was put at \$72.50, that of the day man at \$67.50, and of the night man left as at present, at \$60. Heretofore the policemen's time has been equally divided as to time, Everett and Rahn each working half day and half night. Hereafter the chief will go on duty at 6 o'clock in the morning and remain till 6 at night; the day man will go on an hour later and remain on till 7 at night, and the night man is to be on from 6 at night till 6 in the morning. This new arrangement begins on the 15th instant.

There were eleven applications for places on the force, Chief Oliff not being an applicant, however. The new chief has been on the force for the past two years, and his promotion was deserved. The new day man was formerly chief, until succeeded two years ago by the present retiring chief.

Woman Suffer Terribly from Kidney Trouble.
A woman, 40 years old, who was a woman, had backache, headache, stiff joints, weakness, poor sleep and kidney trouble. She had been suffering from these troubles for many years. She had tried many remedies, but nothing helped her. She was very weak and had lost her appetite. She was very nervous and had a great deal of trouble in her head. She was very much distressed and had a great deal of trouble in her head. She was very much distressed and had a great deal of trouble in her head.

The father who does not learn to translate the strange language of baby tongues is not doing his duty to himself or his family.

The Sky Rocket

The sky rocket goes up with a rush and makes quite a display while it is at it, but its glory soon fades and it comes down quickly and with no colored fire.

Don't be a sky rocket in your business affairs. The slow but sure plan is always best. The fellow who offers you some get rich quick scheme in mining, oil stock or the hundreds of other plans of the sharpers is offering you the sky rocket chance, big prospects and a whooping big fall. It is better to keep your money in a good bank.

See our statement on another page in this issue of the Times.

BANK OF STATESBORO

NEGRO MURDERED BY UNKNOWN WHITE MEN

TAKEN FROM HOME BY FOUR MEN CLAIMING TO BE OFFICERS

Lured from his home by four white men claiming to be officers from Statesboro at 1 o'clock last Sunday morning, Charlie Lee, a negro about 30 years of age, was found dying by the railroad track at Pretoria station thirty minutes later, with a pistol ball in his body, by Deputy Sheriff Mitchell and Mr. J. C. Preterorius. He died ten minutes after being discovered. Lee's wife and children were at home when the unknown persons came and demanded admittance. She says they called for Lee, and that he asked who it was. They replied that they were from the sheriff's office. Upon opening the door, she says, two men walked in and took hold of him. They marched him from the house and were joined a short distance away by two others. All were white men and they wore long raincoats. After they had left the yard, Lee's wife sent one of the children running to Mr. J. C. Preterorius's, a short distance away. Mr. Preterorius telephoned to the sheriff, and Deputy Mitchell went immediately in an automobile.

After a brief search Lee was found lying by the railroad track, unable to move and only partially conscious. He seemed to recognize the officer and Mr. Preterorius, but could not tell of his assailants. He had been shot in the small of the back, and the ball was lodged under the skin in front of his abdomen.

A coroner's jury Sunday afternoon failed to render a verdict, and left the matter open till next Saturday for further investigation. Lee and his wife were in Statesboro Saturday night till late, and had been home only a short while when he was called out. He was slightly intoxicated and had laid down before the fire, without undressing. No possible reason for the killing has been found, though the general feeling is that the assailants only intended to whip him, and that they probably shot him when he tried to escape.

GIFTS BY MAIL.

Postmaster General Burleson Gives Instructions.
Washington, Dec. 7.—Postmaster General Burleson joined the "shop early" campaign today when he issued Christmas suggestions with the injunction:

"Mail your parcels early."
Official sanction for the use of parcels of the caution "Do not open until Christmas" also was announced.

Names and addresses of senders should be written on each package and also included in the package, the suggestions say. Postoffices annually are confronted with the problem of disposing of thousands of parcels that have lost their tags or outer coverings and bear nothing to identify the sender or addressee.

The suggestions point out that books may be sent by parcel post, packages weighing eight ounces or less taking a rate of 1 cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof. Regular zone rates apply above that weight.

Additional rules applying specifically to Christmas packages are:
"You may insert in the parcel mail written or printed inscriptions such as 'Merry Christmas,' 'Happy New Year,' or 'With Best Wishes.' On fly leaves of books you may write simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature."

"If you desire a written communication to accompany your parcel enclose it in an envelope, affixing first-class postage and tie securely to outside of parcel. Place the stamps to cover the postage of the parcel upon its wrapper and those to pay postage of the communication on the envelope."

LEAGUE-PROGRESS WEDDING WAS AN ELABORATE AFFAIR

PUBLIC CEREMONY WITNESSED BY AN INTERESTED AUDIENCE

A very beautiful and interesting ceremony was the marriage of Miss Civic League and Mr. 1915 Progress, which took place at 8 o'clock Friday evening at the auditorium. The scene of the ceremony was a very pleasing one. The soft tones of green and white were used exclusively in the decorations. The back of the platform was hidden by a pyramid of ferns and palms. The walls and ceiling above the improvised altar were gracefully draped with vines and woodland greenery, intermingled with many Christmas berries.

The orchestra discoursed sweet music preceding the arrival of the wedding party. An especially pleasing prelude was Good Miss Will's "O Perfect Day," which was sung with most charming effect, accompanied by Miss Harmony with the piano and Miss Concord with the violin. Mendelssohn's wedding march heralded the arrival of the wedding party.

Coming first were the ushers, Messrs. Hedge, Fountain, Walk and Shub, who entered the long side aisles two by two. Then came the bridesmaid, Miss Tree, at the left, with Mr. Park at the right. In alternating order came the other bridesmaids and groomsmen, Miss Publicity and Mr. Press, Miss Way and Mr. Means, Miss Benevolence and Mr. Membership, Miss Welfare and Mr. Public Playground, Miss Sanitation and Mr. Education.

The matrons of honor, Mrs. Magic Club and Mrs. Current Topics Club, entered at the middle aisle. Mrs. Music Club wore a lovely gown of pink and Mrs. Current Topics Club a becoming gown of yellow. They carried pink roses.

Then entered the little ring-bearer, Master Children's Hour, carrying the ring in a cluster of lilies. He was a picture of innocent appeal in white.

Following came the attractive little flower girls in blue and pink, Kindergarten and Better Babies Contest, scattering pink rose petals as they went.

The bride entered with her maid of honor, Miss Library, wearing blue and carrying a mass of pink roses. The bride was a picture of girlish beauty in a white lace dress and veil becomingly arranged in cap fashion and hanging in graceful folds to the end of her long train. She carried an exquisite bouquet of white roses.

They were met at the improvised chancel by the groom and best man, Mr. Dramatic Club.

The wedding ceremony was impressively performed by Dr. Public Spirit, who joined the couple with appropriate words of truth and wit. The semi-circle at the altar formed with most pleasing effect. The bridesmaids' gowns gave an attractive rainbow scheme of yellow, pink and blue, all carrying large bouquets of pink roses.

Wedding cake was distributed informally among the many guests. Mr. and Mrs. 1915 Progress will

"War Tax" on Long Distance Telephone Messages

The recently enacted federal law establishing an additional internal revenue tax provides that, beginning with December 1st, 1914, a tax of one cent on each long distance telephone message, and is payable by the person paying the tolls on the message. All subscribers and agents will collect this one cent in addition to the regular phone tolls beginning Dec. 1st, 1914, as the same will be billed to them on their regular monthly bill.

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Statement of Condition The First National Bank of Statesboro, Ga. December 1st, 1914. Condensed from report to Comptroller of the Currency	
RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$148,000.00	Capital stock \$50,000.00
Overdrafts 750.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits 24,000.00
Real Estate 15,000.00	Nat. Bank Notes Outstanding 10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures 1,500.00	Deposits 100,000.00
U. S. Bonds 50,000.00	Bills Payable 50,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 700.00	
Assets 276,950.00	
Cash on hand in other banks 50,525.47	
and with U. S. Treasurer 50,525.47	
Total \$78,799.99	Total \$78,799.99

CITY COUNCIL HAS RIGHT BUSY SESSION

REORGANIZES FOR WORK FOR THE COMING YEAR

Tuesday night's meeting of the city council was a right busy one, though thoroughly harmonious from beginning to end. It was the first since the election last Saturday, and, though the members are all old ones, there were some changes to be made in the city positions at their disposal.

Besides the election of a police force for the year, there were two vacancies in the board of trustees, the time of Dr. A. W. Quattlebaum and Col. Hinton Booth having expired. Dr. Quattlebaum was re-elected and Dr. F. P. Floyd was named to succeed Mr. Booth.

It was also the regular annual time for the election of city clerk and city electrician. Messrs. W. B. Johnson and Dr. L. Gould were re-elected to these positions, respectively, without opposition. Other employees of the city light plant were also retained.

The membership of the council being unchanged, there were no changes made in any of the committee memberships.

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